

REMARKS

This is a response to the Office Action of January 6, 2005. Claims 1 – 24 are pending in the application. Claims 1 and 11-13 were objected to as containing duplicate terms and certain misspellings. Suitable corrections were made throughout the claims.

Claim 2 was objected as being in improper dependent form. Claim 2 was cancelled. Claims 2, 6, 9, 12, 17, 22, and 24 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph. Claims 2, 6 and 22 were cancelled. The limitation of 2-butoxyethanol was added to Claim 9 to provide the necessary antecedent basis. Claim 9 was re-written in independent form.

Claims 1-5, 7, 8, 13-21, 23 and 24 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102B) as being anticipated by Morelli et al. Claims 1-5, 13-15, and 18-21 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by Mowdood. Claims 1-4, 7, and 8 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by Moseman. Claims 1-4, 7, and 8 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by Tavss et al.

Claims 11 and 12 were indicated as being allowable once the claims were re-written to overcome Section 112 rejection. The applicant amended Claims 11 and 12 and believes that these claims are now in condition for allowance.

Claims 6, 9, 10 and 22 were objected to as being dependent on a rejected base claim. The applicant amended Claim 1 by incorporating the language of Claim 6, thereby placing claim 1 and the claims dependent thereon in condition for allowance. Claim 9 was re-written in independent form, thereby placing Claim 9 and Claim 10, which depends on Claim 9, in condition for allowance. The Patent Office is authorized to charge Deposit account No. 11-0260 of the undersigned for presentation of extra independent claim(s).

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Claim 13 was amended by incorporating the language of Claim 22 in Claim 13. Therefore Claim and those dependent thereon are now in condition for allowance. Claim 22 was cancelled.

In view of the amendments presented above, it is believed that Claims 1-5, 7 - 21, and 23-24 are now in condition for allowance. Issuance of an early Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested.

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